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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment, Energy and Natural Resources Policy and Finance

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A bill for an act

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relating to capital investment; appropriating money to design and construct

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bicycle and pedestrian facilities, and to plant boulevard trees along 26th Avenue

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North in Minneapolis; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

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Section 1. MINNEAPOLIS PARK AND RECREATION BOARD; 26TH AVENUE

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NORTH.

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Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$1,500,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds

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fund to the Metropolitan Council for a grant to the Minneapolis Park and Recreation

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Board to design the conversion of 26th Avenue North between Lyndale Avenue North

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and the Mississippi River from an urban street to a complete street with dedicated vehicle

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lanes, pedestrian sidewalks, a multi-use off-street trail, green boulevards and other green

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infrastructure innovations, and to design, engineer, and construct a pilot project within the

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corridor from 2nd Street North to the Mississippi River.

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Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the

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bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue

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bonds of the state in an amount up to \$1,500,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with

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the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the

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Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

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EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.